Box No. VIII (ii) DECLARATION: ENTITLEMENT TO APPLY FOR AND BE GRANTED A PATENT The declaration must conform to the standardized wording provided for in Section 212; see Notes to Boxes Nos. VIII, VIII (i) to (v) (in general) and the specific Notes to Box No. VIII (ii). If this Box is not used, this sheet should not be included in the request. Declaration as to the applicant's entitlement, as at the international filing date, to apply for and be granted a patent (Rules 4.17(ii) and 51bis. 1(a)(ii)), in a case where the declaration under Rule 4.17(iv) is not appropriate: In relation to this international application: PITNEY BOWES INC. is entitled to apply for and be granted a patent by the virtue of the following: an assignment from HAMMELL, BRADLEY R. of 235A Berkeley Road, Fairfield, Connecticut 06825 **United States of America** to PITNEY BOWES INC., dated 25 November 2003; This declaration is made for the purpose of all designations. This declaration is continued on the following sheet, "Continuation of Box No. VIII (ii)".